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TRACHEAL INSTILLATION OF MEDICATIONS

FIELD ASSESSMENT/TREATMENT INDICATORS

No peripheral vascular access readily available ET, NT, or needle cricothyrotomy device in place

RECOMMENDED MEDICATIONS

- 1. Lidocaine
- 2. Epinephrine
- 3. Atropine
- 4. Naloxone

PROCEDURE

- 1. Assure and maintain airway placement
- 2. Pre-oxygenate 15-30 seconds with 100% O₂ via BVM
- 3. Discontinue CPR
- 4. Instill medications
 - a. Patient 9 years of age and older double the IV dose with total fluid volume not to exceed 10ml.
 - b. Patient 8 years of age and younger single the IV dose for all medications **except** Epinephrine which should be given at 0.1 mg/kg (1:1000) with total fluid volume not to exceed 2-5ml (medications + NS)
- 5. Re-oxygenate 15-30 seconds with 100% O₂.
- 6. Resume CPR
- 7. Re-evaluate airway placement and response to therapy